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Our Collection of Suitable Christmas Presents, both Ornamental and Serviceable, is the Most Complete in the History of this Store.

Perfumes

Choice Selections from the World's Greatest Perfumers, put up in handsome cut glass bottles.

Stationery

The spirit of Yuletide abounds in our Stationery Department, where we're showing most beautiful boxes, holly decorated and filled with choice Stationery. An appropriate Christmas gift for young or old.

Novelties

Handsome pieces of Cut Glass, Manicure and Toilet Sets. Every one a Winner.

Candles

Fine Boxes of Delicious Bonbons and Chocolates.

Cards, Etc.

Books, Games, Post Cards, Christmas Cards, Booklets, etc.

Desk Articles

Choice Articles for the Writing Desk make acceptable presents. Our line of Ink Wells, Paper Weights, Pen Racks, Blotters, Paper Knives, etc., is complete.

Pictures

We are now sales agents for the Florida Photographic Concern and will display a full line of this well known firm's Art Goods.

We Invite you to
Inspect our Store

Look for the Elec-
trically Lighted Store

St. Lucie Drug Company

The Rexall Store

Fort Pierce, Fla.

LOCAL

Weekly Weather Report

Weekly Meteorological Observations taken by Co-operative Observer of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, at Fort Pierce, during the week ending Wednesday, December 3, 1908.

Date	Temperature		Rainfall in inches and hundredths	Character of day
	Highest	Lowest		
Dec. 3	80	66	0.00	clear
4	82	68	0.15	"
5	76	58	0.00	"
6	78	59	T	"
7	87	64	0.00	"
8	80	64	0.00	"
9	73	59	0.00	"

R. L. GOODWIN,
Co-operative Observer.

Get your orders in early for Christmas turkeys, at Powers' market. 2-2t

Mrs. L. Kicklighter and Miss Fern McPherson, of Stuart, spent Tuesday in the city.

Mr. Ivey Lawson, one of the prominent citrus fruit growers of Sebastian, was in the city Friday.

Mr. P. D. Ankeny, of Ancona, was a visitor in the city Saturday, and paid our office a pleasant call.

Mr. B. F. Hardesty, of Sebastian, was in the city Monday, attending the meeting of the school board, of which he is a member.

Mr. J. Y. Detwiler, of New Smyrna, chairman of the Florida Fish commission, was in the city greeting many old time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lennard, of Viking, were in the city Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. Lennard's father, who is visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Belk spent Monday in St. Augustine. Mr. Belk also visited Jacksonville on business. Mrs. Belk spending the day with old friends of hers.

The Methodist Sunday school will hold their annual Christmas tree on Christmas eve, Dec. 24, at the church. Everybody is invited to be present; appropriate exercises will be rendered, and all the children will be made happy.

The many Fort Pierce friends of Mr. Forest J. Reed will be interested in knowing that he is now editor and publisher (and, we presume, proprietor) of the Isle of Pines News, a most interesting 4-page, 5-column weekly paper, published at Nueva Gerona, Isle of Pines, W. I. Mr. Reed was at one time foreman of The News and later half owner of the Tribune. We wish him success in his new location and in his apparent stand that the island is American territory.

Mr. A. A. Ford, of Vero, was among the visitors from that section Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hardee and son Clifton, of Jensen, spent Tuesday in the city.

What gives more pleasure than anticipation? Come to the hall Dec. 16 and find out.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson, of Stuart, were among the visitors in Fort Pierce Tuesday.

Mr. Paul Kroegel, county commissioner from the First district, was here Monday and Tuesday attending the board meeting.

Mr. C. H. Stewart, of the Fee & Stewart Co., of Melbourne, was a visitor in the city Friday evening to attend the Royal Arch Chapter meeting.

For Sale—Thirty acres of good land, one and one-half miles northwest of Fort Pierce depot. For price or other information, address Walter J. Bass, Vero, Fla.

Mr. F. B. Stoneman, editor of the Miami News-Record and Grand Scribe of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, was in the city last Friday and attended the regular meeting of the local chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sample after spending a week in Fort Pierce visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sample left Tuesday night for their future home at Pompano. Mrs. A. M. Sample entertained last Friday afternoon in honor of her new sister-in-law, and many of the Fort Pierce ladies were present.

The many friends of Miss Edyth Tyler, of this city, will be pleased to know that she was one of the prize winners in the Jacksonville Metropolis contest, which came to an end last Monday. Miss Tyler secured second prize in this district, with 127,977 votes to her credit—the premium being either a diamond ring or a gold watch. This is very gratifying not only to the young lady, but her many friends are sharing in her joy and showering congratulations upon her for the excellent run she made. It meant considerable work on her part, but she feels amply rewarded for the efforts put forth.

Turkeys delivered anywhere in town by Powers' market. 2-2t

Mr. Peter Raulerson, of Tantie, commissioner from the Fourth district, was in the city this week attending board meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip H. Wright, of Titusville and Mrs. M. S. Jones, Jr., and son Minor, of Quay, arrived Wednesday night for a visit to Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Rollins.

Father Curley, of DeLand, was in Fort Pierce Wednesday and Thursday of this week, and held services at the Roman Catholic chapel, south of town. Father Curley has but recently returned from a visit to Rome, Italy, and other points in Europe, and his many friends here are glad to see him again.

Mrs. D. E. Thompson, of St. Augustine, spent a couple of days in the city during the past week in the interest of the Jacksonville Mid-winter Exposition, in an effort to induce our citizens to see that St. Lucie county is represented. He met the county commissioners and the board of trade on Tuesday.

Mr. L. B. Phillips entertained about twenty Fort Pierce citizens on Friday afternoon for about an hour, treating them to a ride on Indian River aboard his new house-boat, the "Hermit Crab," on her maiden trip. This handsome craft has just been completed at Gladwin's boat yard, and was designed entirely by Mr. Phillips, the owner. She has proven entirely satisfactory in every way and on the trial trip, Friday, everything worked perfectly, her speed being about six miles an hour. The boat draws only 18 inches of water and can therefore navigate any portion of the inland waters of the coast. The motive power is a 12-horse-power gas engine and propelled by a stern wheel. Mr. Phillips will immediately furnish the interior in handsome style and make his home aboard. The forward cabin will contain a piano and other luxuries while the sleeping and dining cabins will receive their share of handsome furniture. Mr. Phillips is justly proud of his floating home, and he and his father are enjoying a cruise on St. Lucie river this week.

For Sale.

River front lot in South Fort Pierce, eight-tenths of an acre. Pineapples, oranges and grapefruit. Good 3-room house on place. Almost only building lot on river front in city limits. A bargain if sold at once.

DR. C. C. FEIGEL,
Fort Pierce, Fla.

Notice.

We, the undersigned, have this day, Dec. 2, purchased all interests of E. J. Ricon in the E. J. Ricon Fish Company, and will continue the business as the Salerno Fish Company, Sewalla Point, Fla.

R. T. GARRISON,
C. C. GARRISON.

What It Means.

Were tired of answering questions. "Fewer gallons, wears longer" means that you don't have to paint your house so often and you don't have to use so much paint. Costs less for the job and you don't have to do the job so often.

The new paint is not new at all. It's the biggest selling paint in the United States, and the firm that makes it is 152 years old.

Devco Lead and Zinc—fewer gallons than mixed paints; wears twice as long as lead and oil.

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Land excellently adapted for farming, trucking, etc. Timber alone is worth the price of the land.

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